

# The University Hatchet

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## Subject and Speaker Named for Debate

OXFORD TO UPHOLD NEGATIVE OF RUHR QUESTION—  
BALLOTS OF AUDIENCE TO DECIDE WINNER—  
TO BE HELD AT CONTINENTAL MEMORIAL HALL OCTOBER 6TH.

Speakers have been named to represent the University in the debate with Oxford University, at Continental Memorial Hall, October 6th, at 8 p. m. They are P. E. Barnard, W. I. Cleveland, and E. L. Scheufler.

The subject of the debate is, "That the action of the French in occupying the Ruhr merits the approval of this house."

By house is meant the audience which will be given ballots as they enter. The vote of the audience will decide the winners of the debate. George Washington will defend the affirmative.

The debate will be conducted in the following manner: Motion will be made by first G. W. speaker. Motion will be opposed by first Oxford speaker.

Second G. W. speaker in support of the motion. Second Oxford speaker against the motion.

Third G. W. speaker in support of the motion. Third Oxford speaker against the motion. Then will follow rebuttal by each speaker. Each speaker will be allowed twenty minutes for main speech and three minutes for rebuttal.

The meeting (i. e., audience) will then vote upon the motion.

The speakers will be:  
For Oxford—J. D. Woodruff, A. O. Scaife, G. A. Gardiner.

For G. W. U.—P. E. Barnard, W. I. Cleveland, E. L. Scheufler.

Oscar Zabel and K. J. Pearson have been selected as alternates for the George Washington team. Charles Collier, professor in the Law School, is coaching the team.

Anyone wishing to tryout for a place on the Hatchet Staff, report to the Hatchet Office at 8.00 o'clock, Oct. 2.

## FINAL DELIVERY DATE OF TREE ANNOUNCED

1923 Publication Financial Success—  
Praises Work of Staff Members.

Deliveries of the 1923 Cherry Tree to those subscribers who did not receive their copy at the close of school will be made at the treasurer's office, 2033 G Street, according to announcement made by Robert H. McNeill, business manager. After October 15, the management will consider its obligations closed.

In his report the business manager points out that the Cherry Tree was a financial success. Great praise was extended to the staff of the publication and to the companies that handled the work.

## HATCHET CHANGES OFFICE

Director Bryan Morse Also Acquires Moving Ways.

Attention, G. W. students who are accustomed to loaf in the Hatchet office! The office has been moved to 728 Twentieth Street N. W. Yeah, to stop the scratching of heads of people who wonder where the detestable Twentieth Street is, it is in the basement of the Home Economics Building. The Cherry Tree office is right behind it.

One present editor and three past editors who rushed down in the basement of 2022 G Street yesterday to see if the Hatchet was out, will please take special note of this information.

Incidentally the office of Professor Bryan Morse, director of student activities is on the second floor of this building. No special supervision even insinuated. Such radical changes are taken as personal insults by old grads, pre-natal grads, and all upper classmen.

## GRIGGS SCORES SCOOP

Prof. Griggs wrote an article explaining the action of earthquakes, which appeared in the latest National Geographic magazine. Incidentally this edition containing Prof. Griggs article was the first large magazine to appear after the Japanese earthquake, scoring a distinct scoop.

## ALUMNI NOTES

Dean Howard L. Hodgkins, of the School of Arts and Sciences, and until the election of William Mather Lewis, Acting President of the University, was awarded the degree of Ph. D. at the Centennial Convention in 1921. Dean Hodgkins is a graduate of the old Columbian University, and has served many faithful years in the interest of the school.

Gilbert Groverson, a graduate of the class of 1912, is now editor of the National Geographic Magazine.

Sidney Mudd, of the class of 1908, has recently been elected Representative from the fifth congressional district in Maryland.

Mary Roberts Rhinehart, the internationally famous authoress, was awarded an honorary degree at the June Convocation.

## CORRECTION

The inauguration of William Mather Lewis as President of the University, will take place at Continental Memorial Hall on November 7th instead of October 7th, as stated in the last issue of the Hatchet.

## COLORFUL EVENT FOR G. W.'S ROLL CALL

To Present Key to President  
Lewis, Who Will Make  
Keynote Address.

## FROSH TO WEAR CAPS

Each Class to March as a Group Carrying Banners Denoting Year.

George and Martha will head the parade of University students down Pennsylvania Avenue at the G. W. Roll Call, October 11.

The entire University will form at the Sylvan Theatre. George will present the key of the University to its new president. After the key has been turned over to Mr. Lewis he will address the students. He hopes to sound the keynote of his plans for the coming year.

After his address the students, still headed by Martha and George, will form a parade down the avenue. Large buttons, not so large as a dinner plate, nor yet so small as a fifty-cent piece, will be given out to the first 2,500 arriving at the theatre.

Each class will march under a banner bearing the year and the college. Upon arriving at the theatre each class will form together and will wheel into line in the order of seniority.

Freshmen particularly will add color to the parade by wearing standardized frosh caps. They will make their appearance at Columbian College on the day of the Roll Call. Freshmen not wearing caps will be dealt with according to their deserts by the Sophomores. These caps must be worn until the tug of war. If the Frosh should win, off go the caps. If the Shophos win, the caps continue to add color until after mid-term examinations.

## G. W. LETTER CLUB TO BE ORGANIZED

Big Year Predicted by Stokes and Tolson—Fifty Men Eligible.

All University letter men are urged to attend the organization meeting of the G. W. Club by Walter R. Stokes, vice president of the 1923 honor society. The meeting will be held in Lisner Hall, Thursday, October 4th, at 8 o'clock, where plans for the new college year will be made.

According to Walter R. Stokes, captain of the rifle team, "There are now about fifty letter men enrolled at the University. The size and the influence of this group insures that the 1923-24 G. W. Club will be one of the most powerful of Buff and Blue student organizations. All letter men remember the organization meeting date and come prepared to help put across the best G. W. Club we have ever had."

Hilroy Tolson, captain of track, member of the board of managers and chairman of the athletic committee last year, declared that "The influence of this club can do much to foster athletic and University spirit."

## PRESIDENT COOLIDGE TO GREET DEBATERS

President Calvin Coolidge will meet the debaters of both the Oxford and George Washington University teams at the White House Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Those who will be presented to the President are: J. D. Woodruff, A. O. Scaife, G. A. Gardiner, debaters for Oxford; P. E. Barnard, W. I. Cleveland, and E. L. Scheufler, who will present the question for George Washington.

## TEA FOR PHI SIGMA.

All girls are cordially invited to attend a tea to be given by the Phi Sigma Sorority on Wednesday, October 3rd, from 3 to 5, in their rooms.

## NOTICE TO FRESHMEN

You will be required to purchase a Freshman cap at the earliest possible date. They may be secured from the Freshman Cap Headquarters, located in Building No. 4. Don't delay.

## Quigleyites and Blue and Gray Start Sport

BOTH TEAMS RARING TO GO—SEVERAL STARS MISSING  
FROM HILLTOP LINEUP—HATCHETITES  
PRESENT MORE PROMISING TEAM  
THAN LAST YEAR.

Bill Quigley's Hatchetites usher in the local gridiron season Saturday afternoon at Georgetown University field, in Georgetown, at 3 o'clock, against the hereditary enemy of the Buff and Blue, the Hilltoppers.

The local hopefuls are primed and "raring to go," with a lighter and faster team than in the past, while the Hilltoppers, although minus the services of such stars as Flavin, Kenyon, Sullivan, Wertz, still have a strong team led by the powerful Florence.

George Washington has back from last year's eleven Clements, Wallace, Pryor, Hottel, Laux, Kenouski, Ptak, Fisher, Brown, Allen, Griffin, Leeb, and Hunt.

Clements was the pivot man for last year's team; Wallace played at end, Hottel in the line, and Pryor, Laux, and Kenouski carrying the attack. James V. Ptak, last year's captain, forms no small part of the team, protecting the left wing and being a ready receiver for the overhead attack.

New Men Promising.

Of the new men E. Miller, at end, Goldman and Sawyer at tackles, and "Bevo" Miller, a 197-pound babe, hailing from Western, seem sure of helping form the advance line. In the backs "Bo" LaMar, who last year was the mainstay of Western High School's crack team, seems sure to be calling signals when the whistle blows Saturday, while Henderson is a very capable ball carrier and passer from last year's Maryland Frosh team.

Among other men who stand a good chance for getting a crack at Georgetown are the two McLain boys, hailing from Baltimore, and Coleman, from Washington, D. C.

and Horan, from last year's team. In the line are Leeb, Wolfe, and Brown, from last year's scrubs. Some new men striving for positions in the line are Goldman, Chambers, Lobdell, Loeb, Edmonds, Canter, and Magleby, carrying 196 pounds; James who packs 200, and Wemple, with 183, and Fletcher, who tips the scale at 228.

Charles S. Mulligan, captain of this year's team, is expected back from New York this week, but is not expected to appear against the Blue and Gray.

Probable line-up to start for George Washington:  
J. Ptak (160), left end.  
Goldman (167), left tackle.  
B. Miller (197), left guard.  
Clements (160), center.  
Loeb (160), right guard.  
Hottel (160), right guard.  
Sawyer (161), right tackle.  
E. Miller (163), right end.  
LaMar (163), quarter back.  
Pryor (156), left half back.  
Laux (162), right half back.  
Kenouski (171), full back.  
Henderson (163), full back.

Walter Stokes, G. W. rifle team captain and twice world individual champion, turned in his highest score in the international individual event. Fisher, of the Marines, won the event and established a new record. Stokes was a leading member of the record-breaking United States International Free Rifle and Smallbore teams. He took third place in the rapid fire championship; third place in the small-bore national individual, and placed in several other events. This record will assure him of a place on the next year's United States Olympic Team.

## TO ENLARGE BUNNY HOLE

The Rabbit Hole will be enlarged. It will take in the old Rabbit Hole and the old Hatchet office. The faculty will have charge of it.

Shades of sleepless nights spent by embryo journalists will rise and haunt the diners. Frivolous bridge players will look reproachfully at faculty gatherings drinking cocoa and playing chess.

Definite plans for the management have not yet been formulated, but it will be run under faculty supervision, and it will open in the near future.

## STUDENT HANDBOOK OUT

Handbooks for the college year 1923-24 are out. The book, edited by a committee representing the Pan-Hellenic Council, Hour Glass, and Gamma Eta Zeta, deals with every major activity in the University.

The purpose of each activity is explained in concise form. Writeups of the different teams are also featured. Copies may be obtained at the Registrar's office.

## THETA DELTS MOVE

Theta Delta Chi Fraternity moved into its new home at 1731 P Street N. W. last Saturday morning. The new house of fourteen rooms, presents the big advantage of being closer to the University and the downtown district than the former house was.

All professors and students have been invited to visit the new home.

## GIRLS' RIFLE TEAM MAKES SUMMER SHOWING

Sophia Waldman, Katherine Edmonston, and Edna Kilpatrick Place  
In Events.

The Girl's Rifle Team of George Washington distinguished themselves at the National Rifle meet at Camp Perry, Ohio, September 12th to 28th, inclusive.

Shooting against a hundred of the country's best marksmen Sophia Waldman took fifth place in the national small bore long range championship with a score of 95-100.

Edna Kilpatrick captured fourth place in the small bore national individual championship with 247-250.

Katherine Edmonston, captain of the girl's rifle team, was one of the highest scoring members of the District of Columbia team that won the national small bore state championship. She failed by a single point in making the international small bore team.

## NOTICE TO SOPHOMORES

There will be a meeting of the Sophomore Class Tuesday night in the basement of the church. This is the most important meeting ever held by a Sophomore Class at George Washington. Don't miss it.

## REORGANIZATION PLANNED FOR WOMEN'S UNIV. CLUB

To Continue Wednesday Luncheons—  
Hope to Appeal to Cultural Side.

Plans are being formulated for a complete reorganization of the Women's University Club. They will be discussed at the meeting to be held September 29, at 7.45, in the old W. U. C. rooms.

Two tentative plans have been suggested. The first plan is one of expansion. The larger the membership the better. A program of interesting speakers discussing interesting subjects will be given at stated intervals. It is hoped that by this means more girls, particularly in the night school, will become interested in W. U. C. Under this plan the Wednesday luncheons will be continued and improved. Teas for all of the University girls would be held and prominent women would be invited to address the club on subjects of interest to girls.

The second program aims for a smaller and more intimate association. Membership will be open to all girls of the University, but members will not be solicited. The keynote of the program will be an informal gathering of congenial spirits. It is believed by some members of the W. U. C. that a need exists for an organization to appeal to the more cultural side of college life. One such organization is in existence, but the membership limitations are very strict. By this plan all girls could be members of a society where they could advance their pet hobbies and ride them at will.

The W. U. C. rooms have been taken away from the club and will be used as general rest rooms for girls. Permission will be given any organization to hold meetings in the rooms by Dean Rose.

Efforts will be made to keep the W. U. C. as distinct from the Y. W. C. A. The two organizations were so closely knit last year that they functioned practically as one.

## MASS MEETING SPEAKER

President William Mather Lewis will speak at the mass meeting of laymen to honor Dr. Freeman, Bishop of Washington. The service will be held in the open air amphitheatre on the Cathedral Grounds at 3.30 p. m., Sunday, October 7th.

A section will be reserved for the faculty, students, and friends of George Washington University.



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## Say Damn!

Never say die, say damn. Perhaps a trifle profane, but at times profanity directed in certain channels will do a world of good.

To-morrow the team, wearing the buff and blue, will do battle with the old traditional rivals, the Hilltoppers. Perhaps many times during the game when the breaks go the wrong way and the outlook is dark, members of the team, your team, fighting your fight, may be tempted to give in and say die. But you can bet your bottom dollar that every last man of them will grit his teeth and instead of saying die, will say damn and go at the obstacles with renewed vigor.

The old spirit of never say die, but say damn, is the spirit that G. W. needs, both in and out of the classroom. Many of our seemingly colossal problems, including classroom work, putting the student activity and building fund drives over, and properly supporting the teams, could easily be accomplished by gritting our teeth and saying damn.

Never say die, say damn.



## Have You?

Have you signed the activities pledge? Haven't you had its manifold advantages explained to you?

Not the least of these is a ticket to the Georgetown game to-morrow. It's this way—you sign a pledge card, then when you pay it, they give you a smaller card that fits into a billfold, or a leather card case. Then you are all set to go anywhere and to look even the President straight in the face.

Another advantage: It gives both Will and Wilhemena a season ticket to everything. If you buy games on the installment plan, there's a dollar for Will and another Wilhemena. With the pledge signers it would be foolish for Wilhemena to leave her card at home. So there you are, pleasant company with no extra expense.

The G. W.-Oxford debate is coming soon. The entire United States is interested. Bates defeated the British team with the League of Nations question. The question for us is, will G. W. defeat them with the Ruhr Valley question. Students who have signed the pledge will be given preference as to seats at the hall.

So you see, signers of the pledge are given manifold advantages. By the way, have you signed the pledge?

## Frosh Caps

For the first time in the history of our University the G. W. freshman will be required to wear the bright and gaudy cap that is symbolic of freshmanism in every college over all the country and distinguishes them from the dignified and haughty upper classmen.

This came to light when a proclamation by the sophomore class to the freshmen was found. And to back this statement, the Sophs have purchased three hundred of these glittering top pieces for the humble and frightened youngsters to wear.

"In case any freshman fails to heed this proclamation and neglects to purchase or wear the cap, proper and sufficient punishment will be administered to bring him back to his good mind." So the proclamation goes on to state.

The "Freshman Stetson" that is to adorn the noble cranium of our coming collegiate generation will be sold by the sophomore class at 50 cents per cap. It is a blue cap, trimmed in buff, with the letters "G W U" sewn in front. It is as real collegiate, rather snappy, and gives one the opportunity to distinguish the freshman from other classmen at a longer distance than that ordinarily required to distinguish the usual green.

In the event the first-year boys win their annual tug of war, then they will be privileged to discard their identification tags but (?)—if they fail!

This is only another of the many instances to prove that things are booming here at G. W.

## Stupid Stephen Says

### Solving the Problem.

A young salesman had embossed from his kind-hearted employer a considerable sum of money and had lost every cent of it on the races. He was apprehended and the boss didn't know just what to do about it.

"Keep him on the job and deduct what he owes you from his pay," counseled an adviser.

"But," wailed the victim, "the amount is too large. He could never make it up that way. His wages are too small."

The other ruminated for a moment, and then his face cleared.

"Well, then, raise his salary," he suggested.—American Legion Weekly.

### The Joker Joked.

A tall, lank, taciturn mountaineer was guiding an ox team, to place his long wagon at the chute, in a southern sawmill village.

The off steer was a particularly ugly animal, gaunt, raw-boned, blindfolded, one-eyed, evil-looking. He had one long horn, ornamented by a brass thimble on the point; the other horn had been broken. He had lost all the hair off one entire side by scalding in a steam boiler accident, which left that part of his hide slick and mangy-looking. He was as disreputable in appearance as a steer could be.

A hardware drummer, whose hair was a fiery red hue, had been amusing a crowd at the expense of the ox driver. He gave much useless advice and asked ridiculous questions, as the countryman brought his charges to a stop.

"What's the matter with that brindle steer—does he sleep on one side only?" he asked, as the crowd laughed.

"Naw."

"Had the murrain, the one-sided kind, hadn't he?"

"Naw."

"The good Lord kind of run short of hair when He was making that steer, didn't He?"

"Naw," replied the mountaineer, pitting deliberately. "He had a plenty of hair left, such as hit was, but hit was red, and He wouldn't put red hair on no decent steer!"—Judge.

### Joke of the Open Road.

Native (in answer to inquiry): "Do yet see this road as far as ye can see?"

Pedestrian: "No, I'm a little short-sighted."

Native: "Well, when ye go as far as I can see, ye'll be getting on toward the place ye want to get to."—London Punch.

### A Mixed Statement.

Old English boatman (to tourist): "Ye'll perhaps think I'm tellin' ye a lie, but I ain't never seen a railway train, and I don't want to—I 'ates the sight of 'em!"—Woonsocket Call.

### Transparent Screens.

"Say, Chauncey," said Alonzo, when they met Monday in front of the post office, "what would you call a man who hid behind a woman's skirt?"

"What would I call him?" snapped Chauncey, as he gazed around at the passing review on the hot summer day, "why, I'd call him a magician."—Rockland Independent.

### Lost and Found.

"Mr. Williams had made a long search for a book and finally soliloquized:

"At last! Here it is. I wonder why one always finds a thing in the last place in which one hunts."

"I expect, dad, it's because when we find what we're looking for we stop hunting," remarked his young son.—Everybody's Magazine.

Wife: "Is everything shut up for the night, dear?"

Hubby: "Yes, my love, everything but you."—Portland Evening Express.

Father's umbrella was not to be found anywhere. So he asked the members of his family if they had seen it.

"I think Mr. Benson took it last night," said Johnny.

"What makes you think that, my son?"

"Cause when I was in the hall last night I heard him say to sister: 'Well, I'll have to steal one.'"—Minneapolis Tribune.

The office boy stayed out thirty minutes longer than usual at the lunch hour. When he returned, the boss asked him where he had been.

"Why, I went to a barber shop and had my hair cut."

"What? Do you mean to say that you had your hair cut on the company's time?"

"Why not?" answered the boy, "It grew on the company's time, didn't it?"—I. O. O. F. Record.

"Did you notice those two new fellows at the boarding house this morning?"

"Yes; one is a farmer, and the other a city man."

"How could you tell?"

"The farmer said, 'Will you pass the cream, please?' and the city man asked, 'Is there any milk in that pitcher?'—Life.

### Fractions.

An amazingly enormous woman waddled towards a bus. She was laden with parcels, and only with the greatest difficulty did she succeed in getting a foothold on the bottom step. There she stuck and glared at the conductor.

"If you was only 'arf a man," she growled, "you'd lend me an 'and to 'elp me."

"If you was only 'arf a woman," he answered, "I would."—C. D. B. N. Y.

### The Poetry of It.

Mistress: "So your matrimonial life was very unhappy. What was the trouble? December wedded to May?"  
Chloe Johnson: "Lan' sake, no, mam! It was Labor Day wedded to de Day of Rest."—Mrs. Canton, Mo.

### Like His Father.

"Wot you doin', chile?"

"Nothin', mammy."

"My, but yo' is gettin' like yo' father."—Grs. G. Carsen, Minn.

### The Cruel Part of It.

Professor: "Doesn't it make you sad to see women wearing feathers of the poor little birds on their hats?"

Married Man: "It isn't the feathers that make me sad—it's their bills."—S. H. Southward, Iowa.



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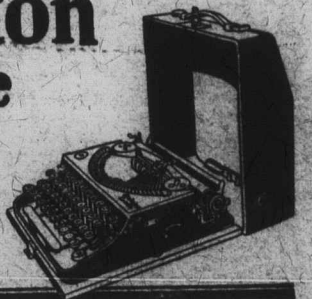
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## ANNUAL PEACE ESSAY CONTEST ANNOUNCED

Endowment Given in Honor of Alexander Wilbourne Weddell, Former Student.

### ALL STUDENTS ELIGIBLE

To Complete Under Rules to be Framed by Faculty Committee.

Students of George Washington University have been given an opportunity to compete in an annual \$250 essay contest, by the terms of the endowment presented by Mrs. Virginia Chase Weddell in honor of her husband, Alexander Wilbourne Weddell, American consul general at Calcutta, India, and formerly a student in the University Law School. The subject of the essay is to be on the promotion of international peace.

The University is authorized to frame rules governing the competition on recommendation of a committee representing the various faculties of the institution. This committee also will select the particular subject for the essay each year. Both graduate and undergraduate students are eligible.

#### Member of 1908 Class.

Mr. Weddell was a member of the class of 1903 at the law school, but left the institution before completing his course to enter the consular service. In view of his brilliant record in the consular service and as a member of various commissions during the World War, the board of trustees of the University some time ago awarded him the degree of bachelor of laws that he would have received had he remained in his class.

While a resident of Washington, Mr. Weddell was a clerk in the Library of Congress. At one time he was secretary to the minister to Denmark. He has held many important posts in the consular service. At one time he was consul in Africa, and during the world war he was consul general at Athens, where he became a member of many of the important war-time commissions.

The prize is the largest of the number offered by the University each year, and a large number of contestants is expected. The first award will be made during the coming year.

#### Editorial Advice.

"I'd like to get off something sharp," said the joke editor.  
"Try sitting on a tack," was the only advice he got from his unsympathetic contemporary.—Cougar's Paw.

#### A Winner.

Father (reading a letter from his son at college to mother): "Willie says he got a beautiful lamp from boxing."  
Mother: "I just knew he'd win something in his athletics."

### W. U. C. TO MEET

Women's University Club will hold its first meeting Saturday, September 29th, at 7:45, in Building 2. Plans for reorganization and possible elections will be discussed.

## PSYCHOLOGY LECTURES ATTRACT ATTENTION

Professional Men Much Interested in Series Dealing With Psychology of Suggestion.

The attention of professional men in Washington was directed toward G. W. U. recently during a series of five lectures on the "Psychology of Suggestion."

The lectures were held at Medical Hall under the supervision of the University.

The speakers were selected from a number of authorities in their specialized lines, and each evening the general subject was approached from a different angle. Mr. Marsh, assistant in chemistry at the Medical School, spoke each evening on the chemical basis underlying human behavior as it was related to the special subject of the evening.

Other speakers were Mr. Cody-marsh, who spoke the first evening on the general technique underlying the psychology of suggestion; Dean Rudder, who spoke the second night on the psychology of the Ten Commandments.

Professor Moss spoke the third evening on the use of suggestion in the treatment of the sick, and Dean Hunter, of the Medical School, spoke the fourth evening on the use of suggestion in the treatment of the well. The fifth evening Mr. Marsh summed up the contents of the previous lectures with a general discussion of the chemical phases of psychology, showing how vitally related they are to the subjects of human conduct and health.

The speakers were introduced by Professor Sweat, of the Chemistry Department.

#### Cause and Effect.

Ancient Mariner: "Once I was shipwrecked on an island where there were only mad women with no tongues."

Seaside Visitor: "Wonderful! And couldn't they speak?"

Ancient Mariner: "No; that's what made them mad."—Reynolds Newspaper (London).

"So you do a good deed every day?" questioned the old lady of the very young boy scout.

"Yes, ma'am," he answered earnestly. "Yesterday I visited my aunt in the country and she was very glad. To-day I came back home, and she was very glad again."

## BELIEF IN G. W. U. STRESSED BY LEWIS

Great Future for University—One in Fifty Washingtonians Has Stamp of G. W.

Acting Dean Van Vleck set aside the opening day of the George Washington University Law School for the purpose of introducing to the student body the newly elected president of the University, William Mather Lewis, and acquainting the students with the necessity of backing the drive for activity funds.

Mr. Barnard, in an appeal to the classes to sign the activity pledge and sign 100 per cent, stated that it was not a tax per head, but an expression of spirit and worked toward the goal of a better G. W.

President Lewis, when introduced to the classes by Acting Dean Van Vleck, was given a hearty ovation by the students.

In his address to the lawyers he stressed the fact that service and achievement went hand in hand. Without one the other was lost. He set forth the advantages of attending the University, and stated that one out of every one hundred persons in the District of Columbia is in attendance here.

#### Presents Unique Advantages.

"George Washington's future is before it and not behind," he said, and with the great number of official Government offices located in Washington the University has an unique advantage over the other colleges. No one should overlook the opportunity presented to them to visit these places. He stated that by believing in the University and serving the University one's achievements would be greater. His address:

"It is a significant fact that to-day marks the opening of the 59th year of Law School and the 103rd year of the successful serviceability in the history of this University. I have not formulated any policies yet, but I have been thinking very seriously that I want to see in this University that great characteristic of the old-time small college in this country, the value of understanding between those who teach and those who receive instruction, and I am very very hopeful that by the end of this year that I may know the great majority of those who sit before me. If it is not too painful I want you to take a good look at me so that you can speak to me on the street. I want to know the personnel of this University and to know its thoughts, aspirations, and difficulties so that I can in some way be of service in advancing this great institution. I congratulate you on the men who are in the leadership here. It is the man who makes the institution."

#### Spirit Makes University.

"We hope to get an auditorium where the whole University can get together and feel its solidarity. It is the spirit of the men and women and their desire to get all they can out of the University and put all they can into it that makes a good University."

"Who are we the heirs of in this University? George Washington, who hands down to us this heritage of a great name and a great ideal."

"We are members of an organization which serves the community as no other University in this country. One out of every one hundred persons in Washington attends George Washington University and one out of every one hundred remaining persons have been students at George Washington, thus making one out of every fifty persons you pass on the street have the stamp of G. W. on their countenance. It brings to everyone the opportunity to go forward as far as their ability."

"It is the type of University which is leading the way to American collegiate ideals. Men and women of ambition can meet on the same level. Believe in Self and College."

"George Washington had a great vision as to the Federal City. He planned to build the great things that Washington is now endowed with. Library, museums, parks, and other great places. See to it that you take the opportunities that you have in the city of Washington and which you could not get in any other city."

"George Washington loved the thing he was doing, and he believed

### HOOR GLASS TO MEET

The first meeting of Hour Glass Society will be held Friday, September 28, at 7:45, in Enosian Hall.

In the thing he was doing. Always remember that I know you believe in what you are doing. If you believe in yourself you can accomplish the work of this year. Believe in this University. We are heirs to a great name. In all the legitimate activities of this University I beg of you to-day to look to the year with stout hearts and with enthusiasm and with an indomitable determination to win."

## PRACTICE SELLING ABILITY ON FROSH

Sophs Conduct Extensive Cap Campaign for New Students—Enforce Rule.

Wednesday night found the Sophomore Class on the job with the selling of the caps to the Freshmen. Every class was canvassed for Frosh at 6 o'clock by a group of at least twenty Sophs, each one with a handful of caps ready to make a sale to any student who had the least resemblance of being a Freshman.

The Freshmen were not at all reluctant at buying, some of them even inquiring as to where they may be purchased. Then, too, there were those who needed a little urging, although the resistance offered very quickly gave way to complete submission, when the entire group of Sophs concentrated their salesmanship ability on the one Frosh who had not purchased immediately.

#### Much Spirit Shown.

There was great spirit shown by the Sophomores in their campaign. Much rivalry was shown in the effort to see which one could sell the most caps, and the total caps sold was almost one hundred. They plan a meeting Tuesday night to make permanent plans for the enforcement of the rule, and while they expect a certain amount of rebellion on the part of the Freshmen, there is not the slightest amount of doubt in their minds that the rule will not be enforced to the letter.

The caps sell at the small price of fifty cents, which is much less than that charged by some of the larger colleges. The Frosh should feel fortunate in this respect.

#### No Time Lost.

Little Willie let no grass grow under his feet when uncle came for a visit, before rushing up to him with this:

"Uncle, make a noise like a frog."

"Why?" asked the old man.

"Cause when I ask daddy for anything he says, 'Wait till your uncle croaks.'"—Mabel Conner, Mich.

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